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## **What's Happening in Suffolk This Weekend**

**FRIDAY, May 4, 2012 and SATURDAY, May 5**

• *F.A.M.E*



Suffolk Parks and Recreation proudly presents its 10<sup>th</sup> annual F.A.M.E. Showcase (Future Artists, Musicians and Entertainers) on Friday, May 04, 2012 and Saturday May 5, 2012, at Lakeland High school at 6:00 p.m. Doors open at 5:00 p.m. Tickets are \$6 and can be purchased at the door.

This program promotes local talent who are 5-19 years old and currently enrolled in school. Featured talent will include vocal and instrumental music, dance, step, and visual arts.

For more information, please contact Suffolk Parks and Recreation at 514-4509.

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**SATURDAY, May 5, 2012**

• *Downtown Suffolk Spring Block Party*



It's time to break out those faded converse high tops and acid wash jeans for the Downtown Suffolk Spring Block Party—celebrating the music of the 80's and 90's. Join the fun from 3:00 until 8:00 p.m., Saturday, May 5, 2012, on North Main Street in Downtown Suffolk. The street will be blocked to thru traffic from Market Street to Washington Street, leaving plenty of space for rockin' to yesterday's tunes.

Live performances by *The Deloreans* and *The Fredds* promise to conjure memories of mohawks and legwarmers with a little flannel and denim overalls thrown in for good measure. The Downtown Suffolk Spring Block party is free and open to the public. Attendees are welcome to bring lawn chairs and settle in for an evening of fun.

For more information, contact the Suffolk Visitor Center at 514.4130, or email [VisitSuffolk@suffolkva.us](mailto:VisitSuffolk@suffolkva.us)

[Suffolk-Fun.com](http://Suffolk-Fun.com)

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**SATURDAY, May 5 and Sunday, May 6, 2012**

• *Let's Play in May Adopt-A-Thons*



Spring has sprung, and that means nice warm days to play with a new furry best friend. There will lots of potential best friends available at two May Adopt-A-Thons sponsored by the Suffolk Humane Society and Suffolk Animal Control. Come out on May 5th and 6th at the PetSmart Charities® Adoption Center at the Chesapeake Square PetSmart® store, 4300 Portsmouth Blvd.,

Chesapeake, VA 23321. This event will be held in partnership with PetSmart Charities during their National Adoption Weekend. The Suffolk Humane Society is dedicated to promoting the welfare of companion animals in the community through sponsoring spay/neuter programs, placing homeless animals in loving permanent homes, and providing quality humane education with an emphasis on responsible pet ownership. Visit [www.SuffolkHumaneSociety.com](http://www.SuffolkHumaneSociety.com) each week to get the latest information about the group's activities and to view the up-to-date photos of the adoptable animals at Suffolk Animal Control, 124 Forest Glen Drive, or call 514-7855. Call Suffolk Humane at 538-3030 for more information.

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